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An ordinance prohibiting the keeping, harboring or permitting of an excessive number of live chickens within the City of North Canton and declaring the same to be an emergency.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH CANTON, COUNTY OF STARK, STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That keeping, harboring or permitting of an excessive number of live chickens within the City of North Canton, be, and the same are hereby prohibited.

Section 2. Definitions:

A. "Person" includes a natural person, association, partnership, limited partnership, limited liability partnership, corporation, limited liability company, professional association, society, foundation, federation, organization or any other legal entity.

B. "Keep, harbor or permit" includes having custody or control over a live chicken within the City of North Canton.

Section 3. That no person shall keep, harbor or permit more than six (6) live chickens or any amount of roosters within the City of North Canton.

Section 4. That a person is permitted to keep, harbor or permit six (6) or less live chickens if the chickens are: (1) at all times when outdoors kept securely enclosed in a yard or pen of at most eighteen (18) square feet that is cleaned on a regular basis to prevent the accumulation of animal waste; (2) at all times when outdoors kept at least fifty (50') feet away from any residence; (3) at all times when outdoors kept at least twenty feet (20') feet away from any property line; and, (4) strictly for personal or household use, rather than for any commercial use.

Section 5. All chicken feed must be stored in a rodent proof container and chickens must not be fed in a manner likely to attract rodents, such as dispersing the feed on the ground.

Section 6. No person shall slaughter any chicken within the City of North Canton.

Section 7. Whoever violates this section is guilty of a minor misdemeanor.

Section 8. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the health, safety and peace of the City of North Canton and further necessary for the timely implementation of said policy prohibiting the keeping, harboring or permitting of an excessive number of live chickens within the City of North Canton; wherefore, this ordinance shall take effect and be in full force immediately upon its adoption by Council and approval by the Mayor.

North Canton, OH
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SIGNED: _____, 2010

ATTEST:


CLERK OF COUNCIL